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Decision No. 66316

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, a corporation, for an order of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California, authorizing it to carry out the terms and conditions of an agreement with THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, which agreement is designated "DISTRICT-EDISON 1958 SERVICE AND INTERCHANGE CONTRACT."

Application No. 42215 Supplemental (Filed September 16, 1963)

## OPINION AND ORDER

Southern California Edison Company requests an order authorizing it to carry out the terms and conditions of an amendment dated September 10, 1963 to its contract with Metropolitan Water District of Southern California designated "District-Edison 1958 Service and Interchange Contract". A copy of said amendment is attached to the supplemental application as Exhibit "A".

This Commission, by Decision No. 60789, dated
September 27, 1960 in Application No. 42215, authorized applicant
to carry out the terms and conditions of the District-Edison 1958
Service and Interchange Contract and to render the service
prescribed therein under the terms, charges and conditions stated
therein. The rates for supplemental energy set forth in the 1958
contract are derived from applicant's filed, presently effective
Schedule A-7. Decision No. 60789 noted that these charges were
to be modified to reflect any Commission-approved modifications
to Schedule A-7.

Applicant filed Schedule A-8, effective July 18, 1963 and states that while Schedule A-8 does not modify Schedule A-7, it was published as an optional schedule available to larger Schedule A-7 customers and that certain provisions of Schedule A-8 are applicable to service to District in the same manner as the comparable provisions of Schedule A-7.

On September 10, 1963, applicant and District executed said amendment of the District-Edison 1958 Service and Interchange Contract. The amendment modifies the 1958 contract only by substitution of Schedule A-8 for Schedule A-7 as the basis for billing District for service rendered by Edison.

The term of the District-Edison 1958 Service and Interchange Contract authorized by said Decision 60789 extends to May 1, 1987 and is subject to prior termination upon not less than four years' notice by either party to the other. This provision is unchanged by the 1963 amendment.

The contract amendment states that it shall not become effective until authorized by this Commission and that it shall be subject to such changes or modifications as this Commission may direct in the exercise of its jurisdiction.

Applicant and District are hereby placed on notice that in any future rate proceeding this Commission will not be obligated to consider the opposition of either party to any proposed changes in this contract as amended predicated on the existence of a contract which has been authorized by this Commission.

The Commission finds that the proposed contract as amended is not adverse to the public interest and concludes that the application should be granted. Applicant is placed on notice

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notice to the Commission and to the public after filing as hereinabove provided.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

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| 19th | day | of_ |       | NOVEMBER | , 1963.     |             |      |